**DECLARATION**

As a below named inventor, I declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name; I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural inventors are named below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: **UNCAGING DEVICE** the specification of which _____ is attached hereto or X was filed on November 17, 2003 as Application No. 10/716,176, and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56. I claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(s)

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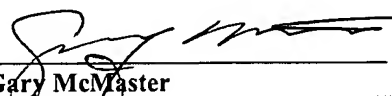
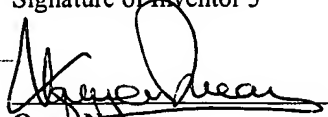
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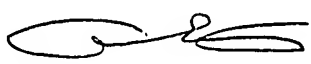
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Application No.	Date of Filing	Status

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Full Name of Inventor 4:	Full Name: Steve Chen		
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I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Signature of Inventor 1  Frank Witney	Signature of Inventor 2  Gary McMaster	Signature of Inventor 3  Quan Nguyen
Date 4/21/04	Date 4/21/04	Date April 21/04

Signature of Inventor 4  Steve Chen
Date 4/21/04

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First Named Inventor	Frank Witney
Title	UNCAGING DEVICE
Art Unit	1653
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Attorney Docket Number	70-000500US

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Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)**SIGNATURE of Applicant or Assignee of Record**Name Frank Witney

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Date 4/21/04Telephone 510-818-2630

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant: Frank Witney, et al.

Application No.: 10/716,176

Filed: November 17, 2003

Entitled: UNCAGING DEVICE

GenoSpectra, Inc.

, a

corporation

(Name of Assignee)

(Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

states that it is:

1. ☒ the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest; or
2. ☐ an assignee of an undivided part interest

in the patent application identified above by virtue of either:

A. [X] An assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent application identified above. The assignment was recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel __, Frame __, or for which a copy thereof is attached.

OR

B. [] A chain of title from the inventor(s), of the patent application identified above, to the current assignee as shown below:

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to sign this statement on behalf of the assignee.

4/21/04
Date

[Signature]
Signature

Frank Witney
Typed or printed name

President + CEO
Title

ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

JOINT

WHEREAS, Frank Witney, of 219 Cross Road, Oakland, California 94618, Gary McMaster of 2601 White Oak Court, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48103, Quan Nguyen of 1440 Allamere Dr., San Ramon, CA 94583, and Steve Chen, 45084 Cougar Circle, Fremont, California 94539, hereinafter referred to as "Assignors," are the inventors of the invention described and set forth in the below-identified application for United States Letters Patent:

Title of Invention: UNCAGING DEVICE

Filing Date: November 17, 2003

Application No.: 10/716,176; and

WHEREAS, GenoSpectra, Inc., a corporation, located at 6519 Dumbarton Circle, Fremont, CA 94555, hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE," is desirous of acquiring an interest in the invention and application and in any U.S. Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted on the same;

For good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignors, Assignors have assigned, and by these presents do assign to Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the invention and application and to all foreign counterparts (including patent, utility model and industrial designs), and in and to any Letters Patent and Registrations which may hereafter be granted on any patent application claiming priority from the same in the United States and all countries throughout the world, and which claim the priority from the application as provided by the Paris Convention. The right, title and interest is to be held and enjoyed by Assignee and Assignee's successors and assigns as fully and exclusively as it would have been held and enjoyed by Assignors had this Assignment not been made, for the full term of any Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted thereon, or of any division, renewal, continuation in whole or in part, substitution, conversion, reissue, prolongation or extension thereof.

Assignors further agree that they will, without charge to Assignee, but at Assignee's expense, (a) cooperate with Assignee in the prosecution of U.S. Patent applications and foreign counterparts on the invention and any improvements, (b) execute, verify, acknowledge and deliver all such further papers, including applications and instruments of transfer, and (c) perform such other acts as Assignee lawfully may request to obtain or maintain Letters Patent and Registrations for the invention and improvements in any and all countries, and to vest title thereto in Assignee, or Assignee's successors and assigns.

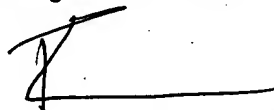
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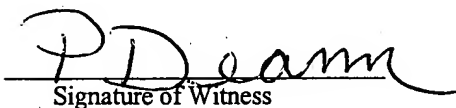
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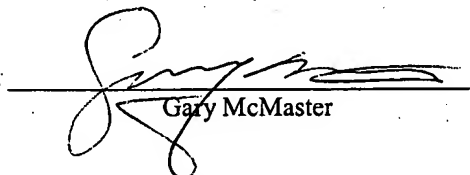
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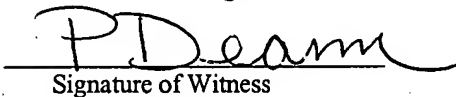
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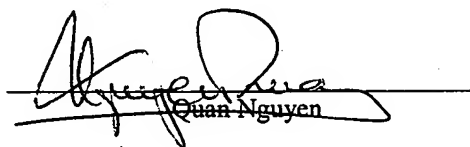
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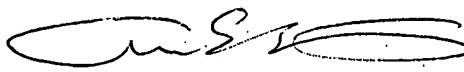
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